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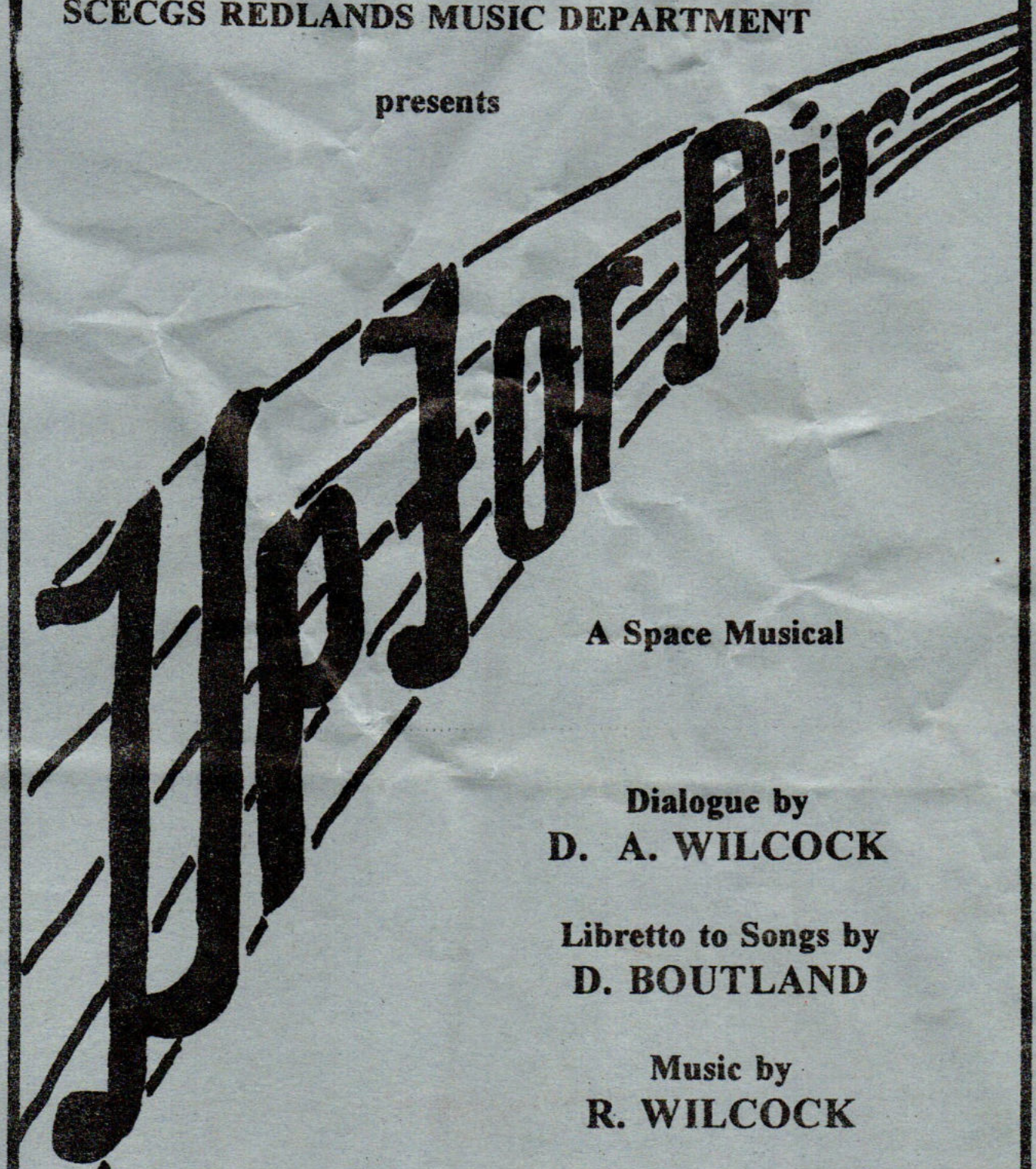


A Space Musical

Dialogue by
D. A. WILCOCK

Libretto to Songs by
D. BOUTLAND

Music by
R. WILCOCK

November 11, 12 & 13 1993

Assembly Hall
272 Military Road
Cremorne

## CAST LIST

Commander.....Thomas Barrett
Navigator.....Saskia Smith
Lieutenant Usurp.....Andrew Crawford
Space Advisor.....Simon Levett
Captain McKenzie.....Mathew Ford
Doc.....Hugh Chaffey-Millar
Miz.....Bronwen Burfitt
Queen Zubb.....Amelia Cormack
Queens Daughter.....Sarah Grigg

## CREW

Thomas Allinson, Lauren Amos, James Butler, Cameron Elsegood, Mollie King, Tara Kocourek, Philippa McConachie, Christopher Salz.

## CHORUS

### (Crew in Act 1, Zubbs in Act 2)

Sarah Alexander, Cameron Allen, Edwina Alma, Alicia Bennell, Joshua Blanket, Hayley Corbett, Belinda Foster, Penelope Fox, Thomas Frew, Amy Hancock, Julia Hudson, Katherine Jones, Katrina Kennedy, Paula Kennedy, Simon Kinny-Lewis, Sophie Kouvelis, Christopher Lee, Jeffrey Lloyd, Eleasha Mah, Alexandra Miller, Vivienne Orgill, Danielle Paul, Anita Pulver, Amelia Ramsden, Cristina Sabato, Naomi Shepherd, Jane Spooner, Louise Taylor, Philippa Wright.

## THE ORCHESTRA

**Conductor: Miss A. Brodie**

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| **Violin:** | Penelope Donnelly |
| **Flute:** | Emily Farrell, Emily Beeren, Kit Dawson |
| **Clarinet:** | Rhys Evans, Danika Morris |
| **Alto Saxophone:** | Amber Edwards, Melanie Olding |
| **Tenor Saxophone:** | Jesse Moore |
| **Bassoon:** | Mr. K. Mitchell |
| **Trumpet:** | Karl Xavier, Nicholas Dray, Matthew Dray |
| **Trombone:** | Grant Lane |
| **Percussion:** | Jeremy Wilmot, Katherine Liebmann |
| **Guitar:** | Richard Frost |
| **Keyboard:** | Elliott Wheeler, Michelle Wong |
| **Bass:** | Andrew Shapley |

## ACT 1

**ACT 1 is set on the Space Ship: SS Futuro**

## ACT 2

**ACT 2 is set on the Planet Green**

## MUSICAL ITEMS

Space Prelude.....Orchestra
Lift-Off Song.....Cast
We Sail From Old Earth.....Cast
Ships of Old.....Commander
It's A Fact.....Usurp
Scientists Will Save The Human Race.....Space Advisor
Why Does A Woman So Love A Man.....Navigator
Exercise Song.....Cast
These Lights Flashing Here On My Chest.....Space Advisor
What is Love?.....Navigator & Space Advisor
Gourmet's Delight.....Cast
Our Ship Is Descending.....Cast

## ACT 2

It Smells of Air.....Landing Party
Memories.....Commander
Explore A Little.....Space Advisor
Men and Women of Zubb.....Planet People
Ours Is a Simple Song.....Queen & Planet People
We Thought Ourselves Normal.....Queen's Daughter
There Is a World Out There.....Commander
It's Not Easy To Decide.....Usurp & Commander
Come Down To Your World.....Planet People
You Spoke For Your Race.....Planet People
The Discovery.....Space Advisor & Chorus
Peace Between The Planets.....Cast


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## CREDITS

Producer.....M. K. Mitchell
Director.....Mr. A. Ronaldson
Musical Director.....Miss. A. Brodie
Set Design.....Mr. R. Seaword
Lighting Design.....Mr. R. Seaword
Choreography.....Mr. J. Mullins
Assistant Musical Director.....Mr. C. Davidson
Costume Design.....Mrs. B. McVicar
Assistant to the Director.....Mr. G. Freer
Production Team Leader.....Mr. R. Seaword
Ticketing.....Miss D. Vermes
Make-Up.....Miss S. Formosa
Front-of House.....Miss E. Claessen
Assistant to Miss Formosa.....Mrs. M. Gray, Miss M. Robbins
Programme.....Mr. K. Mitchell
T-Shirt & Programme Cover.....Mr. A. Ronaldson
Sound.....James Frost, Charlie Chandra
Production Team.....Andrew Baumann, Brendan Byrne, Leo Champion, Charlie Chandra, Nicholas Eales, James Frost, James Goudkamp, Sally Leaney.

## SYNOPSIS

The Space Ship **SS Futuro** sets-off on a mission to investigate Planet 137 in the Quasar Galaxy which has similar conditions to those of Earth of the 20th Century. Earth is now too polluted for the human race to survive and it is running out of oxygen. The plan is to colonise the planet and start over again. At the end of the Act we arrive at Planet 137 -"The Green Planet".

The Space Advisor tests the atmosphere and finds that it is suitable for humans. The crew become intoxicated with the fresh air. They meet the Zubbs, the inhabitants of the Planet and their Queen. The Queen tells the Crew their story while her daughter and Captain MacKenzie become more interested in each other. As they exit, the Zubbs kidnap the Space Advisor.

The Space Advisor is pampered by the Zubbs. He tells them of the plight of those on Earth and although sympathetic, the Queen cannot help them. While the Zubbs sleep, the Space Advisor does some tests.

It appears that war between the people is imminent. However, just as the fighting begins, the Space Advisor informs them that all their problems are solved - the Zubbs, who love pollution, can live on Earth, while the Earthlings can move to the now vacant "Planet Green".